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ENERAL NEWS.

Dead.

[illegible] Feb. 19.—Father Kernan, the [illegible] priest in America, died at Lan[illegible] [illegible]day, aged 98.

Suicide.

[illegible] Feb. 19.—W. C. Warner, of [illegible], suicided by hanging himself

[illegible] Failures.

[illegible]eb. 19.—Three voluntary peti[illegible] [illegible] were filed to-day. Total [illegible]000; assets, $116,000.

[illegible] Down and Robbed.

[illegible] Feb. 20.—A man was brought [illegible] station house to-night, [illegible] severe bruises on the head. [illegible] of Henry Anthon. He had [illegible] in Brunswick early in the [illegible] there has been followed by [illegible] street and Broadway, knocked down and robbed of a [illegible] chain, a diamond ring and [illegible]. His wounds were dressed at [illegible] and he remained there all [illegible]ward ascertained his name [illegible] that he was no less a [illegible] Thiel, a member of Gen. [illegible] now occupying the position [illegible]

Coming O[illegible]

[illegible] 20.—The Tribune's New Or[illegible] [illegible] that since the announce[illegible] [illegible] on Louisiana, [illegible] remarkable [illegible] down of [illegible] toward the elec-

WASHINGTON CITY.

Bitter on the Returning Board.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Senator Wallace to-day, in the course of his speech, was bitterly denunciatory of the returning board of Louisiana, and alluded to their returns as made by four men of whom one is too weak to be a knave, another tricky, unscrupulous and a defaulter in public office; a third, a sharper who cheats at keno and defrauds his State, and the fourth, confessedly guilty and indicted for forging dead men's names on the pay rolls of his city.

Will Prosecute.

It is mentioned this evening upon the highest official authority, that the President has determined upon the prosecution of Don Piatt, editor of the *Capital*, for libel, and also for seditious writing, indictable under both the common and statutory law. District Attorney Wells was this afternoon directed to take the necessary steps in the matter, and the arrest will be made to-morrow. Although yesterday's *Capital* principally incited the official action just determined upon, it is understood the previous articles, regarded as libelous upon the President, will only be officially noticed in the criminal prosecution for libel.

Democrats in Caucus.

About one hundred members were present at the Democratic caucus to-night at the capitol, Clymer presiding. Vance, of Ohio, offered a resolution similar to that of Representative Walling at Saturday night's caucus, asserting that the Democrats should avail themselves of all legitimate means to defeat the acts of the commission. This resolution [illegible] but was not voted on. Meanwhile the air is full of rumors which indicate an unsettled state of public opinion upon the political relations of prominent Senators.

Counting Chickens before they are Hatched

In spite of the doubt which still exists on the Oregon case, however, a shadow of Hayes' cabinet preparation has fallen across the Senate. Evarts and friends are fully convinced that he will be offered the leading portfolio. An authoritative envoy for Hayes, however, is expected here daily, who may upset a good many prognostications and plans, and the friends of Morgan are by no means disposed to see New York recognized in the cabinet otherwise than in his person and in the treasury department, and but for the friends of Morgan, Sherman could never have carried through his man at Cincinnati. Sherman's plan is understood to induce Morgan to accept the English mission and leave the treasury to him, as the treasury is a post of responsibility, without any real party, except of low party kind. Morgan will be well advised if he accepts this arrangement. To be sure, it would leave Evarts out in the cold, but he ought to be accustomed to that by this time. As for Stoughton, if Morgan takes the English mission, he will have the attorney generalship. All this is counting premature chickens, perhaps. Cabinet gossip is outcropping on every hand. The Pacific coast intends, it is said, to demand a representation in the cabinet, and Sargent and Mitchell are named in connection with it. Republicans all seem agreed that Bristow will not be in Hayes' cabinet.

Their Reason.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—The *Tribune's* Washington special gives as a reason of the Democrats [illegible] that Hurd refused

The "Tribune" on Morton.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—The *Tribune* has a double leaded editorial in which, after reviewing the action of the House of Representatives, its Democratic caucus, and the probabilities of filibustering which may prevent the completion of the count by the 3d of March, declares Republicans should now take cognizance of the proposed perfidy and threatened resistance and prepare for protecting the government. This can only be secured by the resignation of Vice President Ferry, whose term of office expires March 3d, and the election of a fully qualified Senator whose term does not expire. The man of all others for the Senate to select to act as President of the United States for nearly a year in case Democratic perfidy shall necessitate it, is Oliver P. Morton, of Indiana. The emergency will demand all the energy, promptitude and fearlessness which Morton possesses in so eminent a degree. Whether there shall be an attempt to inaugurate Tilden, or to make a nine months' campaign of bulldozing in a repeated effort to elect, Hon. O. P. Morton may be trusted to keep the peace and enforce the laws. He has been tried in almost as serious an emergency. As governor of Indiana during the war of the rebellion, when the copperheads of his State sought to accomplish in the rear what the rebels failed to accomplish in the front, Mr. Morton was quick to grapple with them, and powerful enough to crush them, with a copperhead legislature organized to oppose him, with assassins lying in wait for him. With a more insidious foe than Grant encountered on the field of battle, Gov. Morton, without a single sign of fear, crushed out the new sedition and saved the Union from those who threatened it at the North. With Morton acting as President, the Government will be safe during the interim, if the Democrats force it upon the coun[illegible] of an at-

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

[Conclusion of the debate on Louisiana.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.

The question being on the substitute of Kernan, Maxey spoke of the electoral commission being invested with the same powers as the two Houses, intrusted with the duty of deciding who were the true electors, but this duty had not been performed. The commission was directed to ascertain the true vote of the State, but instead has brought forth a certificate reeking with fraud and offensive to the nostrils of all honest people. The judgment of the commission had been weighed in the balance and found wanting. It could not stand the touchstone of truth, justice and fair dealing. If the law organizing this commission did not authorize the commission to ascertain the true vote of a State, it was the most cunningly devised [illegible] that ever mortal man fell into. The judgment of this commission was founded on a denial of the right to prove fraud; it was an admission of the fraudulent certificates of a notoriously corrupt returning board for good, valid and true. This judgment, bearing so heavily in favor of fraud and against truth and justice, would never be approved by the American people, but would be condemned for all time. The truth had not been sought by the commission, but all its avenues were closed; evidence was shut and thereby the law was perverted. The Democratic party counseled lawful and peaceful submission to the decision and confidently relied upon the merits of their case, the will of the people and the [illegible]

Kernan said the Senate should not, and he trusted would not, affirm the decision which had been made by the commission. He spoke of the offer of Democratic counsel before the Commission to prove fraud existed in Louisiana, and that certain electors were ineligible, and, commenting on the decision of the Commission, said a file of soldiers threatened to murder the Governor of the State unless he signed certificates of certain electors, and the Governor yielded. Under this decision there was no power in the two houses to inquire into the matter. The decision was to the effect that there was no power in Congress to obtain the truth and smite down fraud. He entered his solemn protest against it, and he did so from a higher motive than for success of any man or any political party. [illegible] statutes of Louisiana creat[illegible]

[illegible]bunal, I call attention to the fact that under this clash of interests there would be [illegible] at the result, and that somebody would think they were cheated. Democratic Senators thought then that such arguments were good for nothing. Then was the time to consider them, and [illegible] down the bill, if it would lead to unfairness or partisanship. Now, sir, it is very easy to get up here and talk about fraud, fraud, fraud, and fill the air with declarations of that kind, and it is very safe, by fiction of law, to assume that everything offered to be proved is proven. An objection to even such offer, it is assumed, in nature of a demurrer, and confesses the truth of the allegations, however monstrous. I understand that to be the idea of my friend from Pennsylvania, Mr. Wallace, and so they go before the tribunal and offer a long list of things which they propose to prove, knowing there is no time to prove those things or their falsity. And knowing further, I believe, and they must know it if they believe anything in the doctrine of States rights, which their party is founded on, that the tribunal has not the right to ascertain whether the things therein alleged were true or not. Senators now cry partisanship and fraud because the position of the other party requires that they should stand up for the rights of the States. It was natural and right that they should stand by the right of the States and insist that in this matter confided to the States by the constitution of the United States the action of the States through such agency as they saw fit to confide power to, having taken place, should be respected by our tribunal and by Congress. It was a necessary and logical result of the construction of the constitution held by the Democratic party during all its career. The Republican party simply comes forward and insists that its time-honored maxim shall not be completely trampled in the dust. While you could follow the rights of States so far as to sanction secession you could insist upon them so far as to abet the attempt to tear down the whole of our institutions, and yet when it comes to sustaining that natural necessary right of a State growing out of the constitution of the United States, that it shall have a voice in selecting the President of the United States independent of the control of Congress, then you desert your doctrine and tread on and vilify your own tribunal, and say that Congress should strip the State of Louisiana of the right necessary to its protection, and to the protection of the people of the United States.

Withers [illegible] before replying to [illegible] conclude his de[illegible] desired to state that he supported the bill for creating [illegible] that the [illegible]

electoral college, and his [illegible] remaining electors. The [illegible] being absent did not create a vacancy [illegible] fore Crossman was not duly [illegible] mony of Hanchet that he never [illegible] and therefore resigned [illegible] tors Norwood, Wallace, Barnum and [illegible] the objections, and Representatives [illegible] Tucker, Vance, of Ohio, McMahon, [illegible] and Hurd.

The Senate then withdrew to [illegible] to consider the matter separately.

After the Senate retired, [illegible] till to-morrow.

Hale raised the point that the [illegible] sion could not admit recess.

Speaker Randall overruled the [illegible]

Wood opposed recess.

Tucker [illegible] to adjourn, being a [illegible]

Southard defended his [illegible] bers should have [illegible] lay, and [illegible] Presidential chair [illegible] tional time. In a [illegible] defeated by a large majority [illegible] were demanded [illegible]

Tucker then [illegible]

Conger said it was [illegible] man jumped at a [illegible] law, and quoted the [illegible] Crossman duly appointed.

After discussion, the [illegible] tion offered by [illegible] resolution that [illegible] duties of office [illegible] elector [illegible] has been [illegible]

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Dan'l [illegible] is not [illegible] lawful or [illegible] [illegible]

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB. 21, 1877.

THE PROPHET OF DEMOCRACY.

Since the Democratic organ of this city has made the explicit declaration that the Democratic party acknowledge Thomas Jefferson as the final authority as to what are Democratic principles, agreeing to stand or fall by whatever views that distinguished gentleman may have entertained on public questions, we propose to bring them to book on a subject which has received no little attention of late. We allude to the subject of repudiation of the national debt. Ever since the famous "new departure" of 1868, the purposes of the Democratic party leaders on this subject have been a matter of a good deal of speculation and no little anxiety on the part of those who thought there was a probability of the accession of that party to power, and who believed that governments, like individuals, should pay their honest debts. Jefferson was a thorough-going repudiationist—a repudiationist on principle. His doctrines on the subject are fully expounded by himself, in a letter he wrote to Madison from Paris, September 6, 1789. In that letter, which may be found in Tucker's Life of Jefferson, vol. 1, page 292, he thus places himself on record:

"The question whether one generation has a right to bind another, seems never to have been started either on this or our side of the water. Yet it is a question of such consequence as not only to merit decision, but place also among the *fundamental principles of government*. The course of reflection in which we are immersed here, on the elementary principles of society, has presented this question to my mind, and that no such obligation can be so transmitted, *I think very capable of proof*. I set out on this ground, which I [illegible] that the earth belongs in usufruct to the living; that the dead have neither powers nor rights over it. The portion occupied by any individual ceases to be his when himself has ceased, and reverts to society. * * * If they have formed rules of appropriation, these rules may give it to his wife and children, or to some one of them, or to the legatee of the deceased. So they may give it to the creditor. But the child, the legatee or creditor takes it not by natural right, but by law of society—of which he is a member, and to which he is subject. Then no man can, by natural right, oblige the lands he occupied, or the persons who succeed him in that occupation, to the payment of debts contracted by him. * * * What is true of every member of society individually, is true of them all collectively; since the rights of the whole can be no more than the sum of the rights of the individuals. * * * Then, I say, the earth belongs to each of these generations during its course, fully and in its own right. For if the first could charge it with a debt, then the earth would belong to the dead, and not to the living generation. Then, no generation can contract debts greater than may be paid during the course of its own existence."

[illegible] on this theory, and assuming [illegible] duration of human life to [illegible] years, the great oracle of [illegible] sums up the case and presents [illegible] in this remarkable sentence: [illegible], then, is that *neither the representatives of a nation, nor the whole nation itself [illegible] can validly engage debts beyond what they may pay in their own time; that is to say, within [illegible] years from the date of the* [illegible]

[illegible] of the Democratic [illegible] Democratic doctrine. [illegible] admission alone is it such, [illegible] the actual history of [illegible] the Democrats of the [illegible] Mississippi planted themselves [illegible] doctrine of repudiation [illegible] to get rid of the State debt, [illegible] Mr. Jefferson as authority for [illegible] that a State debt, which, [illegible] extended more than thirty-[illegible] was in the nature of things in[illegible]. From this same source, though [illegible] not been cited so frequently [illegible] the repudiation theories on [illegible] Democrats during the last six [illegible] have been experimenting [illegible] plan of paying the gov[illegible] bonded debt, by delivering to [illegible] other promises to pay in the [illegible] treasury notes, was merely a [illegible] to compromise with the pub[illegible] so as to repudiate the debt, [illegible] same time cover the shame of [illegible]. It was a Jeffersonian plan [illegible] thoroughly Democratic, the *Standard* [illegible].

[illegible] we have our hand in, we may as [illegible] another conclusion which [illegible] himself reached and announced [illegible] the logic of this same atomic [illegible] rights of society, and which [illegible] Democratic, both by parentage [illegible] practice. That other conclusion [illegible] Jefferson's own words:

"[illegible] it may be proved that [illegible] make a perpetual constitution, [illegible] perpetual law. * * * *Every* [illegible] *and every law, naturally expires* [illegible] *of every thirty-four years. If it be enforced longer, it is an act of force, and not of* [illegible]

[illegible] remarked that this conclusion, also, [illegible] Democratic practice as well as Democratic parentage to fortify its claim to be [illegible] as Democratic doctrine. In 1861 [illegible] formulated into secession ordinances in eleven Democratic States, and [illegible] prevented from producing a [illegible] disruption of the nation, by [illegible] terrible civil war recorded in history. Does our neighbor of the *Standard* [illegible] insist on tying the Democratic party to the car of Thomas Jefferson? Will he still declare that in all things Jefferson was the prophet of Democracy? If he will, then will the Democrats generally accept the *Standard* as the true oracle of Democracy? Will that portion of the party who were old line Whigs while the party of Henry Clay was in existence, take him for their mouth-piece? Will the Jackson Democrats do it? Jefferson and disunion, or Jackson and union? which do you take, good neighbor, of the *Standard*? "Under which king, Benzonian?"

A petition, signed, we are told, by all the heaviest taxpayers of the county, and by a large majority of all the taxpayers, has been presented to the county court of this county, asking for the construction of a suitable and safe fire-proof vault for the keeping of the county records. It is an important matter, as the title to most of the property in the county would be very difficult to establish in case of the destruction of the records. The records are now kept in desks prepared for them, in the clerk's office, and liable to be consumed any day by a conflagration. True, the building is as nearly fire-proof as the average of brick buildings, but that is saying little for it. The destruction of these records would entail expense on nearly every property holder in the county, and loss on many, besides creating uncertainties with regard to titles, which would not end in a generation.

PACIFIC RAILROAD INDEBTEDNESS.

[From the N. Y. Times.]

An evening contemporary, reporting Wall street matters yesterday, says that "Union Pacific stock has been steadily advancing of late, until 68 was made to-day. Good parties, not in close relations with the Dillon-Gould management, but believers in the road, are talking well of the stock." The holders of this stock, with "the Dillon-Gould management" at their head, are heavily indebted to the Government, and are doing their utmost to prevent an arrangement by which it may be protected against loss. Within the precincts of the Nation's Capitol they plead poverty as an excuse for the non-payment of their debts. The road, they declare, is not able to bear the burden of a sinking fund equivalent to the extinction of the indebtedness to the government, whose munificent liberality is the source of whatever strength the company possesses. In Wall street the same people adopt a very different tone. They expatiate on the resources and future of the road. They "bull" the stock in spite of the possibilities of adverse legislation, and in spite, too, of the debt which, if not soon provided for, will ultimately crush the stock out of existence. They point to the payment of dividends as evidence of prosperity, and in one way or another contrive to give an upward movement to a stock which, judged by the company's representations at Washington, can have no intrinsic value. That these representations are false, and that the company are able to comply with the requirements either of the House bill, passed last summer, or of Mr. Thurman's bill, reported from the Senate judiciary committee, a fact set forth in the last report of the company clearly proves. More than fifty per cent. of the gross receipts on the last year's business were profit, the total having been $12,113,990, while the expense of operating the road was $5,547,819. It is preposterous to pretend that a company whose net earnings were $6,660,171, cannot annually pay the $750,000 in addition to the five per cent. and the money earned from the United States, as provided for in the House bill, or the million and a half, in addition to half the earnings for government transportation, as contemplated by the judiciary committee. A management which finds money to divide as dividends for the purpose of imparting a fictitious value to the stock, and which will not forego immediate gain in order that an ever-increasing indebtedness may be secured, is not an honest management, or one that is entitled to consideration at the hands of Congress.

The Central Pacific, which, besides being a huge debtor to the Government, is always ready to bring its influence to bear in favor of corrupt legislation on railroad questions, has even less excuse than the Union Pacific for leaving its indebtedness unadjusted. Its sixty-two millions of capital stock is divided among a "ring" of ninety-five individuals and not a share is ever heard of in the open market. It is a close corporation—an arrogant and practically irresponsible monopoly—and only the initiated know its actual gains. What we do know is that of the $1[illegible],010,400 gross earnings of the last business year, no less than $7,720,454 were net earnings. As the company's entire bonded indebtedness—exclusive of the $27,855,680, with accumulating interest, on account of the Government bonds—is only $33,604,503, a margin remains on the net income amply sufficient to yield the annual contribution called for by either of the measures we have referred to. The House bill fixes the amount at $668,210 beyond the sum earned for Government transportation, and 5 per cent. stipulated for in the original act—an amount unreasonably small compared with that to be exacted from the Union Pacific, bearing in mind the relative financial strength of the two enterprises. Mr. Thurman's bill proposes the same terms for both, coupled with a proviso which would disarm any opposition not intent upon evading the payment of just debts. It is that the specified contribution, together with the half of the government earnings and the 5 per cent. on the net earnings, shall not exceed one-fourth of the total net income of the company. Looking at the figures we have cited, it is apparent that enough would still be left to provide for all the legitimate requirements of the road, and to yield some dividend on the stock. The latter circumstance is not one that should have great weight. The first duty of a corporation is to provide for its debts, and a company like the Central Pacific, whose stock is so valuable, and is held so tightly that not a share has been publicly sold since the opening of the road, forfeits all right to the forbearance of Congress when it resists at every stage propositions which, at the best, will in the end only avert from the national Treasury serious loss.

The outcry raised in behalf of these companies might convey to those who have not watched the progress of the controversy the idea that some scandalous wrong was about to be inflicted upon struggling and meritorious corporations. The outcry could hardly be louder if the companies were called upon at once to pay arrearages of interest due the government, and at the same time to form a fund for the redemption of the government bonds at maturity. The two companies are, however, on their own showing, prosperous. They have the command of so much money that they can afford to divide large sums among the stockholders. They are, therefore, debarred by their own acts from pleading poverty. Nor can they with any better grace fall back upon the decision of the Supreme Court, based upon an interpretation of an agreement which by its own terms reserves to the Government the right of so amending the provisions as to protect the public interest. The House has decided that this right shall now be exercised, and the judiciary committee of the Senate have placed the right itself upon a solid foundation of equity. The expediency of the case scarcely needs elucidation. Why should the government go on, year after year, paying out the taxpayers' money for the accommodation of dividend-earning railroads? Why should there be delay in effecting a settlement which will be more difficult the longer it is deferred, and which, if postponed until the bonds reach maturity, would be impossible save on one of two conditions—the assumption by the government of the roads, or the sacrifice by the government of a part of the debt to secure the remainder? Nothing less than legislative coercion will bring the companies to reason. Their proposal, as embodied in the bill reported by Mr. West, from the railroad committee, is so absurdly inadequate that it ought not to be entertained. Its main feature is the sale to the government of millions of acres of the land which the government, in the first instance gave to the companies. The choice of the Senate, then, really lies between the House bill and Mr. Thurman's bill, and we hope that one or the other will become law this session.

The country will suffer heavy loss from the obligations incurred in behalf of the Pacific railroads whatever action Congress may take on the general question. The Kansas Pacific, after a long struggle with its embarrassments, recently passed into the charge of receivers, and will almost certainly share the fate of bankrupt enterprises. Its bonded indebtedness to the Government is $6,303,000, with about $2,000,000 more on account of interest past due. As the security held by the Government is only that of a second mortgage, whilst the first mortgage bonds, now in default, amount to upward of $12,000,000, it is morally certain that the impending foreclosure will result in a total loss of the advances made by the Government, and of all the principal and interest hereafter to be paid on its bonds.

A corporation has been organized in San Francisco under the name of the California State Geological Society, having for its object the collection of a complete cabinet of the geology of the Pacific coast, and especially such specimens of rock as will be useful to the mining population of the coast, the intention being to keep the cabinet always open to the public. The managers will receive specimens from all mines on the coast—as well as other geological matter—with locality and description of mine, name of owners, etc. They state in their circular that Wells, Fargo & Co. have generously offered to carry all contributions to the collection free of charge.

In this paper will be found a clear and truthful presentation of the railway question under consideration in Congress, upon which Oregon has the unenviable reputation of having furnished in the Senate the most persistent and zealous champion to the railway corporations. The article referred is copied from the New York *Times*, in which it appeared as a leading editorial.

The Seattle *Tribune* mentions that it has been of late in receipt of three or four original poems a day, which are crowding its waste basket. We sympathize with our contemporary; but does not the occasional grain which finds its way to the columns of the paper compensate in some measure for the trouble of wading through these cart loads of chaff?

Some scandal monger about Washington is trying to bulldoze Republicans by starting a rumor that Senator "Mitchell" is among the possible members of Hayes' cabinet. He is just as likely to be called back to Pennsylvania to take charge of a female seminary.

OREGON.

The Jacksonville *Times* reports the burning of two more cabins occupied by Chinese.

Negotiations are reported to be pending for the sale of a valuable tract of gravel mining ground on Althouse creek, to some San Francisco capitalists.

Jacksonville has an economical city government. The recorder reports the receipts of the city last year were $821 50, and the expenditures $56[illegible] 21.

The Baptist church, at Albany, narrowly escaped being consumed by fire last Monday. About 10:30 A. M., the fire broke out in the woodshed, and in a few minutes the rear portion of the church was in flames. By prompt and energetic action the firemen succeeded in arresting the flames, but not until the pulpit and organ were much damaged and the library destroyed.

BORN:

At Brook Cottage, East Portland, Feb. 14, to the wife of Ed. Elliot—a daughter.

MARRIED:

In Port Madison, W. T., Feb. 17, Nathan Bucklin and Miss Mary Alice Babbitt.

In Empire City, Feb. 16, A. P. Owen and Miss Mattie Johnson.

At Umatilla Agency, Feb. 12, Thomas Milarkey and Miss Elizabeth Ryan.

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At Granite Creek, Jan. 30, John Spaulding.

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NEW MARKET THEATER.
Mr. Frederic Luer respectfully announces that
MADAME
CAMILLA URSO
THE CELEBRATED VIOLINIST,
Will give a short Series of
TWO GRAND CONCERTS,
With a complete change of Programme for each Concert.
FIRST GRAND CONCERT,
Thursday Evening, Feb. 22,
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Saturday Evening, Feb. 24,
MAD'ME CAMILLA URSO
WILL BE ASSISTED BY
MISS IVY WANDESFORDE,
The Young and Charming Soprano.
MR. CHAS. PFLUEGER, Tenor.
SIGNOR LUIGI CONTINI, Baritone.
And the Eminent Pianist,
MR. AUGUSTE SAURET.
MR. FREDERIC LUER - - - DIRECTOR.
Admission $1 00. Reserved seats, extra, 50 cents. Reserved seats for the Series of two Concerts $2 50. Boxes, respectively, each $8 and $6. Gallery 50c.
BOX SHEET AT GRAY'S MUSIC STORE.
N. B.—This is positively the only opportunity to hear the celebrated artist, as her engagements peremptorily recall her to Europe.

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FOURTEENTH
ANNUAL BALL
OF THE
WASHINGTON GUARD,
TO BE GIVEN AT
TURN HALLE,
Thursday Evening, February 22, 1877.
Honorary Committee.
Gov. L. F. Grover, Capt. Thos. Mountain,
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School Nights, Mondays and Thursdays.
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The latest styles of Dancing taught, consisting of the Boston Dip, Glide, Saratoga, Newport Movements, &c.
All desiring to attend the School will please leave their names at Gray's Music Store, or at Dancing Hall.
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Just the thing.
CROQUET SETS,
An Immense Stock.
BIRD CAGES,
Every Variety.
BREEDING CAGES,
Latest Make.
FANCY GOODS,
Etc., Etc., Etc.
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LADIES' BAZAR.
For the next Thirty Days I will sell my Stock of MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS at Greatly Reduced Prices, to make room for one of the largest and best selected Stock of MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS ever exhibited in Portland. Don't fail to call if you are wanting anything in my line, at the Ladies' Bazar, No. 71 First st.
P. E. BRIGHAM.

MATZOS! MATZOS! MATZOS!
To the Israelites of Oregon.
WE HEREWITH GIVE NOTICE THAT WE shall again, at this establishment, be able to furnish you with Matzos for the coming Passover. All orders left with the Oregon Bakery or Isaac Levy will be promptly attended to.
LIEBE & HOELTING.
ISAAC LEVY, Superintendent. fe14d1m

Eastern and Shoalwater Bay Oysters,
IN EVERY STYLE.
AT
ALISKY & HEGELE'S
Premium Candy Factory,
No. 105 FIRST STREET.

TO MY FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC.
I HAVE SOLD MY ENTIRE STOCK AND BUSINESS to MR. P. E. BRIGHAM, who will hereafter conduct the Millinery business at the same place, 71 First street, next door to Messrs. Ladd & Tilton's bank. Thankful for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon me for the past five years, I would request my friends to continue the same to my successor in the business. MISS PARKER, the young lady who has charge of the Millinery Department, is fully competent to execute first class work, having had large experience in first class houses in San Francisco, and I am confident will give entire satisfaction. Respectfully,
ja23d1m JENNIE MACNAMARA.

FOR THE PASSOVER!!
MATZOS! MATZOS!
THE STATE BAKERY, JOHN WINTTER, PROprietor, having secured the services of Mr. M. FRIEDMAN as superintendent, is prepared to furnish MATZOS of superior quality to the Israelites of Oregon. Orders promptly attended to.

DRY GOODS, MILLINERY, ETC.

REMOVAL.
MRS. CHAS. TICHNOR'S
Novelty and Fancy Goods Store
TO 136 FIRST STREET,
between Morrison and Yamhill.
READ OUR PRICE LIST:
Ladies' Merino Vest and Drawers from 75 cts. upwards.
Woolen Jackets $1 00 and upwards.
Children's do. 75 cents.
Corsets from 50c to $5 00.
Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Aprons, Spanish Lace Barbes, Cardinal Ties.
And everything else in the Fancy Goods line sold at reduced rates.
N. B.—MASQUERADE COSTUMES for rent cheap, and all kinds of MASKS for sale.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. WILSON'S
OFFICE REMOVED TO HIS NEW ROOMS AT his residence, B and Fourth streets, entrance on B street.

DR. LITTLEFIELD,
Physician and Surgeon
PORTLAND, OREGON.
Office—Rooms Nos. 1 and 3, Strowbridge Building, Corner First and Alder streets.
Residence, corner Seventh and College streets.
Office Hours, 9 to 12 A. M., and 2 to 5 and 6 to 8 P. M.

DR. J. B. PILKINGTON,
OCULIST AND AURIST,
Office, Dekum's Block.
Diseases of the EYE, EAR, THROAT and NOSE (particularly Chronic Nasal Catarrh) treated as specialties.
Prescriptions for the proper spectacles for relief of long, short or weak vision.
A fine stock of Artificial Eyes kept.

DR. C. C. GLASS,
Office—Parrish's Building,
Corner of Front and Washington sts.—entrance on Washington.
Office hours—10½ A. M. to 4 P. M., & 6½ to 7½ P. M.

SALOONS.

A COSY PLACE.
T. J. ROBINSON. A. J. CORNWALL.
THESE WELL KNOWN GENTLEMEN HAVE opened a most
Elegantly Furnished & Finished Saloon,
on the north side of Morrison street, between First and Second, where they will be pleased to meet all their old friends. fe17d1m

STEILACOOM,
And the Celebrated
"BOCA" BEER
AT THE
GAMBRINUS,
FIRST & PINE STREETS.

200 Each of 1. & 12 ft. Page's make,
Best Eastern Oars,
FOR SALE LOW.
Shelf and Builders' Hardware,
MECHANICS' TOOLS,
&c., &c., at
JOHN R. FOSTER'S,
87 FRONT STREET, CORNER STARK.

SIMON, SPRINGER & CO.
41 Front Street,
Dealers in
DOORS, SASH AND BLINDS,
German, French and American
WINDOW GLASS
Crystal Sheet, Enameled, Stained and Cut GLASS. All Sizes of
LOOKING GLASS.
Glazing done to order, at San Francisco Prices, and satisfaction guaranteed.

NOTICE.
MR. W. E. UTTER, formerly of the firm of Neimeyer & Utter, will be pleased to meet his friends and former customers at CURRIER & CO'S, where he is now located, having taken charge of the Tailoring Department of that firm. ja22d1m

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.
THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between Samuel and Henry Seller under the firm name of S. & H. Seller, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, S. Seller retiring therefrom. All outstanding accounts due the late firm will be collected by our successors, Seller & Falk, and all liabilities assumed by the same.
S. & H. SELLER.
We have this day formed a copartnership under the firm name and style of SELLER & FALK, for the purpose of continuing the business heretofore carried on by S. & H. Seller. Thanking our numerous customers for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon the late firm we respectfully solicit a continuation of the same.
HENRY SELLER,
SIGMUND FALK.
Harrisburg, Feb. 19, 1877. fe20d2w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE this day sold my interest in the Photographic Business, heretofore conducted by Shuster & Davidson, to I. G. Davidson. H. S. SHUSTER.
Portland, Feb. 14, 1877.

PHOTOGRAPHY.
The undersigned respectfully announce to the public that we will continue the business of Photography, heretofore conducted by Shuster & Davidson, at the same place, and under the firm name of Davidson Brothers.
We have engaged the services of Mr. H. S. Shuster as operator for a short time, and feel confident of pleasing those who may give us their patronage.
I. G. DAVIDSON,
J. S. DAVIDSON.
Portland, Feb. 14, 1877.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.
THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting under the firm name and style of J. SIMON & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
J. SIMON,
L. LACHMAN.
Portland, Feb. 12, 1877.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY FORMed a copartnership for the purpose of carrying on a general Sash, Door, Blind and Glass business at 41 Front street, under the firm name of Simon, Springer & Co.
J. SIMON,
JASON SPRINGER & CO.
Portland, Feb. 12, 1877. fe15d1m

NOTICE
PORTLAND, February 13, 1877.
THE LAND DEPARTMENT OF THE OREGON and California Railroad Co. having taken charge of the "Oregon Department" of the Permanent Exhibition at the Main Centennial Building at Philadelphia, will take charge of and exhibit free of expense any of the products of the field, forest, mines and manufactories of Oregon. Parties desiring to avail themselves of this opportunity will address the undersigned, stating the article or sample offered.
P. SCHULZE,
fe15d-1w1m Land Agent O. & C. R. R.

WANTS.

WANTED.
A LARGE HOUSE, CENTRALLY LOCATED, suitable for boarding and lodging, also a small new House up town. Apply to WOODWARD & CONNELL, Brokers.

AGENTS. 12 ELEGANT OIL CHROMOS, size 9x11, by mail post-paid for $1.00. Send address for Illustrated Catalogue. F. MUNSON, Jun'r, 124 Post street, San Francisco. f12d4w1y

TO LET.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS
TO LET, WITH BATHROOM, ON FOURTH ST. between D and E, where there are no children. ja25d1m MRS. T. C. TRENGOVE.

TO RENT.
FIRST CLASS ROOMS TO RENT BY THE DAY or week, with the accommodation of the Parlors. Cor. Front and Ash sts.

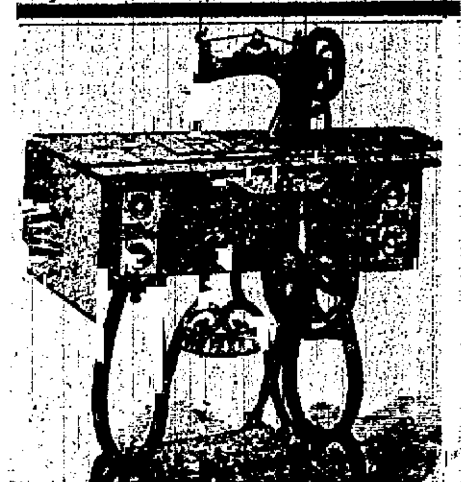
FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.
ONE TUFTS' ALASKA SODA FOUNTAIN consisting of White Marble Standard, with 8 heavy Silver plated Syrup Faucets. One Copper Soda Generator, and two 14-gallon Copper Tanks, with all the tools and appliances necessary. All in good working order, and for sale 200 below cost. Apply to ALISKY & HEGELE, Confectioners, First street, Portland.

FOR SALE.
THE FURNITURE AND BUSINESS OF THE St. Charles Hotel, Albany, Oregon. Reason for selling, poor health. Apply to J. K. MORRISON, Albany, Ogn.

PROPERTY FOR SALE.
IN LEWIS COUNTY, W. T., ONE STORE BUILDing, Lot and Stock of Goods, Hay Shed and Stock in Warehouse, at Chehalis Station, N. P. R. R. County Seat of Lewis county. 120 acres of good Wild Bottom Land on Cowlitz river, very large growth of timber. 120 acres of Land 1¼ mile north of Chehalis Station. For particulars and terms enquire of Messrs. L. GOLDSMITH & CO., Portland, Ogn., or GEO. J. HOGUE, Claquato, Lewis Co., W. T.

SAN JUAN COUNTY, W. T.
Farms and Sheep Runs
FOR SALE OR LEASE.
THE UNDERSIGNED IS AGENT FOR THE Sale or Lease of several valuable FARMS and SHEEP RUNS, situated on San Juan and Orcas Islands. Address
E. D. WARBASS,
ja18d3m San Juan Island, W. T.



PERFECTION ATTAINED.
THE
WHITE
Shuttle Sewing Machine
AFTER 20 YEARS' EXPERIENCE IN THE manufacture of Sewing Machines, the gentlemen composing the White [illegible] Co. have produced a Machine that contains all the principles that have given perfect satisfaction in other machines and with their own patents embodied them in the new White Shuttle Sewing Machine, which they now offer to the public as a PERFECT SEWING MACHINE. Use it once and you will use no other. Great inducements offered to purchasers. Old Machines taken in exchange as part payment. Agents wanted in every town in Oregon and W. T.
J. H. LOOMIS, agent,
128 First st., with Sherman & Hyde's Music Store.

[illegible] VICTORY
OF THE
BRUNSWICK & BALKE CO.
AT THE CENTENNIAL.
Their Billiard Tables distance all competitors for Beauty of Design, Superior Workmanship and Durability and Elasticity of Cushion.
The Award reads as follows:
INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION,
PHILADELPHIA, 1876.
The United States Centennial Commission has examined the report of the Judges, and accepted the following reasons, and decreed an award in conformity therewith:
Philadelphia, Nov. 16, 1876.
REPORT ON AWARDS.
Product—Billiard Tables.
Name and address of exhibitor—J. M. Brunswick & Balke Co., Chicago, Illinois.
The undersigned, having examined the product herein described, respectfully recommends the same to the United States Centennial Commission for award, for the following reasons, viz:
For beauty of design, superior workmanship in frame and durability and elasticity of cushion.
FRANCIS THONET, Judge.
Approval of group of judges.
ADDISON BOYDEN
CHAUNCEY WHITE,
THEODORE SNYE, [illegible]
A true copy of the record.
FRANCIS A. WALKER,
Chief of the Bureau of Awards.
Given by the authority of the United States Centennial Commission.
A. T. GOSHORN, Director General.
J. R. HAWLEY, President.
CHARLES LOUIS KUHN, Agent,
Corner Third and [illegible] sts., Portland.
fe14d1m

BARBOUR'S THREAD,
Cotton Seine Twine and Rope
SUITABLE FOR SALMON NETS.
PAGE'S OARS,
Anchors, Tar, Pitch, Oakum, Tackle Blocks, Cordage,
And all kinds of
Boat Builders' Material,
AT LOWEST RATES.
NORTHRUP & THOMPSON,
131 Front st., Portland, Or.

WILLIAMS & FULLER
Having purchased the
EMPIRE BAKERY,
Washington st., bet. Second and Third,
Are prepared to supply all their customers and the public generally with the choicest
BREAD, CRACKERS, ROLLS, Etc., Etc.
Bread Tickets issued by the old firm redeemed.
ja25d1m

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COpartnership heretofore existing between Thos. F. Tilden and J. A. Brown under the firm name of Tilden & Brown, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Thos. F. Tilden retiring therefrom. Capt. J. A. Brown is alone authorized to collect all debts and demands due said late firm, and will continue the business thereof under his own name.
THOS. F. TILDEN,
J. A. BROWN.
Portland, January 19, 1877. ja22d1m

ST. HELEN'S HALL,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
A Boarding and Day School
FOR GIRLS,
UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF
BISHOP MORRIS & the MISSES RODNEY.
The EASTER TERM will begin on
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH.
fe19d1m

ELOCUTION.
LESSONS IN ELOCUTION GIVEN BY THE undersigned at her residence, Eighth street, east side, between D and E.
Pupils taught in Classes if desired.
Portland, Feb. [illegible], 1877. [illegible] SMITH.
fe14d1m

AUCTION [illegible]
OSCAR K[illegible]
AUCTION AND COM[illegible]
Corner First and [illegible]
Regular Sale Days, [illegible]
WILL PURCHASE AN[illegible] Merchandise, Fur[illegible]
A general assortment of [illegible] sale.

REGULAR [illegible]
WEDNESDAY, F[illegible]
At 10 o'clock [illegible]
Furniture and [illegible]
OSCAR KILBO[illegible]
ON SATURDAY, F[illegible]
For account of [illegible]
I will sell 5 Complete [illegible]
DIES and [illegible]
Sizes from ¼ inch to 1½ inch [illegible]
OSCAR KILBO[illegible]

INSURA[illegible]
North British and [illegible]
Fire Insura[illegible]
OF LONDON AND [illegible]
CAPITAL [illegible]
Reserve and Surplus F[illegible]
Jan. 1st, 18[illegible]
[illegible]
Premium Receipts, 18[illegible]
Losses Paid in United [illegible] 6 years [illegible]
EDWARD MA[illegible]
AGEN[illegible]

OREGON [illegible]
HOME M[illegible]
Fire Insurance [illegible]
Capital, [illegible]
Assets, [illegible]
Income, 1876, [illegible]
Losses paid since Organiz[illegible]
HAMILTON [illegible]
MANAGE[illegible]
73 First Street, [illegible]

[illegible]
Insurance C[illegible]
FIRE AND [illegible]
Capital, [illegible]
Assets, exceed [illegible]
BRANCH OFFICE: [illegible]
First National Bank Bu[illegible]
W. S. CA[illegible]

THE ST[illegible]
Livermen, & [illegible]
COMPA[illegible]
OF SAN FRA[illegible]
FIRE AND [illegible]
Incorpo[illegible]
Cash Assets [illegible]
[illegible]
PETER DONA[illegible]
CHARLES [illegible]
This Company has [illegible] insurance combination [illegible] the Lowest Paying [illegible] according to its own [illegible]
The undersigned [illegible]
Agents for the above Com[illegible] a normal [illegible] Building [illegible]
A. P. [illegible]
General Agents for Oregon and [illegible]

E. J. JANIO[illegible]
IMPORTER [illegible]
Commission M[illegible]
AGENTS FOR [illegible]
OFFER FOR SA[illegible]
TENNENT'S ALE, pints a[illegible]
McEWAN'S [illegible]
IND COOPE & CO'S ALE, [illegible]
Reed, Walsh & Co's ALE [illegible] pints and quarts.
Guinness' STOUT, pints [illegible]
KEG CASE GIN, (Nyenhuis [illegible]
Hennessey, Martell and [illegible] BRANDIES, in cases and [illegible]
Scotch and Irish WHISKIES [illegible] bulk.
DRY PRIVATE CUVEE [illegible] pints and quarts.
The Finest SP[illegible] BRIDE, im[illegible] ported to this market, a[illegible] prices.
CURRY POWDER and CURR[illegible]
SAUCES.
SALAD and COD LIVER O[illegible]
EPSOM SALTS and CITRATE [illegible] NESIA.
SAGO and TAPIOCA.
COAL BRUSHES, CHAIN [illegible] HARROWS.
PIANOS.
PAINTS and VARNISHES.
CHLORIDE OF LIME and [illegible]
WHEAT & OAT SACKS [illegible]
Seaming and Roping TWINE [illegible]

EVERDING & [illegible]
Commission Merch[illegible]
EXPORTERS AND DE[illegible]
[illegible] H. Y. [illegible]
[illegible] OF ALL KINDS [illegible]
STAPLE GROC[illegible]
FIRE BRICK and FIRE [illegible]
GRAIN SACKS & [illegible]
NO. 27 FRONT [illegible]
PORTLAND, O[illegible]

Great Barg[illegible]
THE ENTIRE STOCK [illegible]
BOOTS & S[illegible]
AT THE
[illegible]
WILL BE
Sold at Cost for [illegible]
FOR THE
Next 3[illegible]
To make room for a Large S[illegible] and SUMMER [illegible]
E. CAHAL[illegible]
Cor. First [illegible]

Oregonian.

MORNING, FEB. 21, 1877.

CITY.

OUR SUBSCRIBERS.—A subscriber writes
he has long been annoyed by those
slips on which are printed the names,
the dates when the subscriptions expire.
slips are pasted on the papers by means
machine manipulated by the hand,
most cases cover some portion of the
matter. We have received a number
complaints from time to time. It
thing to an impossibility to paste the
the margin of the paper as has re-
been suggested. Papers cannot be
uniformly as to enable the mailing
paste the slips on the margin; and
running through a large pile, he has
with the machine near the middle of
where it is more solid than at one
publish the latest and most impor-
it is necessary to defer going to
quite late in the morning. With
large edition it then requires *rapid*
work both on the part of our
and the mailing clerk to get the
worked off and into the mails in
our many thousand readers up
Eastern Oregon and in Washing-
Idaho Territories. Our readers can
the slips by moistening them.
then be taken off without oblitera-
reading. Try it.

WARBLERS.—We have often heard the
"jail bird," used, referring to a
was in durance vile, or else, de-
so situated. But before yester-
associated the expression with
music. All birds are not gifted
of song. Sheriff Jeffery, how-
imprisoned warblers, who
indoor concerts for the accommo-
musically inclined fellow-pris-
attaches of the county clerk's
have organized a regular quar-
tenor, bass and alto—and have
degree of proficiency quite refresh-
and sentimental songs are
brief intervals during the day,
effect. In this manner, the
otherwise would pass heavily on
hands, is passed agreeably.
calls them his "canaries."

CHESTER.—This new and commodi-
ship sailed from New York harbor
Francisco on the 21st of December,
command of that experienced and
Captain Fred. Bolles. She
been out 61 days, up to present
delayed by heavy weather or
the *City of Chester* ought to be
Francisco in the next 12 or 15
steamer was to put in for a few
coaling port some 400 miles
Paraiso. After undergoing some
and a renovation which will
be deemed necessary on the comple-
long and tedious passage around
Horn, the *City of Chester* will sail for this
Her arrival here may be anticipated
1st of April.

SMALL POX.—We understand that a
small pox has just made its ap-
Oregon City. The development
very naturally makes the good
city feel very nervous. The
Mrs. Levy, wife of one of the
good merchants of the place.
the lady has been indisposed,
time received numerous calls
not one of whom had the
that the lady had the contagion,
was pronounced small pox,
produced among those who
Mrs. Levy, can be more easily
described, and as numbers
to the disease, it is impos-
how far the contagion may

—From the records of the
of Observation, Portland,
1877:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
	29.980	30.160	30.250
	29.967	30.132	30.241
	49°	55°	52°
	81	73	86
	N.W.	N.	0
	8	4	0
	Lt. Rain.	Cloudy.	Cloudy.
			58°
			45°

Pillsbury, the young
in the penitentiary for the
years some time during 1875,
of forgery, committed in this
pardoned by Governor Chadwick,
his home at Albany, New York,
ing. The young man's father is
of the State penitentiary
that city. His time would have
November.

—Col. J. M. Wilson re-
from Pine Tree rapids, on
which point improvements are
to the channel by removing the
writer stated that operations were
forward expeditiously, and
rapids would soon be completed.

—Reports which reach us from
that the bar has been exceed-
The steamer *Ajax* which
Saturday morning, was unable
until yesterday. It was the
Mackie to endeavor to cross
about one o'clock.

—Yesterday morning the
W. Q. Adams and Mrs. Marie
place at Salem. Rev. T. P.
officiated. Both contracting parties
Salem. The happy couple came
Portland yesterday on a short hyme-

AT ASTORIA.—A dispatch from Astoria
says that the steamer *Geo. W.*
there yesterday afternoon, and
for Portland early this morning.
expected here about 3 or 4 o'clock.

SAILED.—The steamer *California*,
at this port from San Francisco
ago, brought quite a number of
She sailed hence for Sitka with
evening.

OF DISTANCES.

Weidler, agent for the Oregon
Co., has kindly furnished us the
of distances between points
to San Francisco. As a source
in determining the dis-
the points given, the table is
should be cut out and preserved:

		MILES
th of Willamette	12	
to St. Helens	18	30
	11	41
	9	50
Point	16	66
athlamet	12	78
Astoria	28	106
Disappointment	20	126
to Tillamook Heads	20	146
to False Tillamook H'ds	11	157
Heads to Cape Lookout	26	183
Cape Foulweather	36	219
to Cape Perpetua	27	246
to Umpqua River	37	283
to Cape Arago	13	296
Cape Blanco	31	327
Port Orford	11	338
Rogue River	20	358
Crescent City	42	400
to Trinidad Head	42	442
to Humboldt Bar	18	460
to Table Bluffs	6	466
to False Cape	11	477
Cape Mendocino	5	482
to Point Agorda	13	495
to Mendocino City	62	557
City to Point Arenas	21	578
to Bodega	51	629
Point Reyes	18	647
to Bolinas	17	664
to San Francisco	19	683

BUSINESS NOTICES.

having business with the steamer
will find the agent on Flanders'

If you are hard up and want to raise coin
thing, soak the article with O'Shea,
will give you a fair chance.

Jackson, San Francisco, announces
Calvert's Carbolic Sheep Wash, a
article for sheep raisers to have.

A. L. Francis is now agent for the cel-
ber piano, and will fill orders
ument and organs promptly. He
ed through postoffice box 235.

BRIEF NOTES.

Weather is a little Marchy.

Shall we celebrate to-morrow?

Only one sailing vessel now in port.

The steamer *Gussie Telfair* is overdue.

There is a slight moistness lingering in the air.

No amusements this evening—dramatically speaking.

Remember the grand ball to-morrow evening at Turn Halle.

The British bark *Athelstan* is discharging coal at the foot of C street.

Two runaways yesterday—one in this city and one in East Portland.

The steamer *Calliope* has been remodeled, and presents an improved appearance.

A slide at the big cut, on the westside, delayed the north bound train yesterday about two hours.

Profs. Day and Brenner's dancing school will be opened this (Wednesday) evening instead of to-morrow.

A soiree will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, East Portland, to-night. A good time is anticipated by the eastsiders.

An infant child of Mr. A. G. Walling is lying dangerously ill. Little or no hopes are entertained of its recovery.

The N. Y. *Clipper*, of the 3d inst., contains a portrait of Manager Sherry Corbyn, accompanied by a biographical sketch.

This evening Madame Urso will be serenaded at the Cosmopolitan hotel, by a number of the leading musicians of the city.

The following cases were disposed of yesterday in Police Court: James Tootill, a saloon keeper on First street, was fined $1 and costs for selling liquor to minors; Geo. W. Barnes, drunk, fined $5.

Ted Marks, traveling agent for Rosenbaum & Einstein, cigar dealers, San Francisco, is laid up at the Holton House. He hopes to be out to see his friends before Saturday, when he sails on the steamer.

THE COURTS.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

TUESDAY, Feb. 20, 1877.

B. F. Dowell vs W. C. Griswold; defendant's counsel, on motion, has time for filing brief extended to the 12th day of March next.

U. S. vs Geo. H. Abbott et al.; cause on trial.

A. M. Gibbons vs P. J. Martin et al.; hearing on demurrer to plea in abatement set for Monday next.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J.

U. S. vs Chas. Lindman; information for desertion; district attorney had leave to file information, and defendant arraigned and entered plea of guilty, and sentenced to two months' imprisonment in the Multnomah county jail, to be discharged at any time on Shipping Commissioner's certificate that he has shipped.

U. S. vs John Morgan; same offense, same proceeding and same sentence.

In re. The Oregon Iron Works; petition of assignee to sell mortgaged property; hearing continued until Tuesday next.

In re. Oregon Iron works; petition of E. Corbett to sell mortgaged property; same order as last.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK, J.

State of Oregon vs John Reilly; assault with intent to rob; verdict of guilty; defendant remanded for sentence until to-morrow.

State of Oregon vs Eugene Graden; verdict of guilty of larceny only; remanded for sentence until to-morrow.

D. H. Stearns vs Emeline Stearns; submitted without argument.

Henry Holtgrieve, a juror, excused for the term.

DeLashmutt & Oatman vs Thomas Connell and Ladd & Tilton; Connell's demurrer overruled and defendant allowed until Friday morning next to answer.

Charlotte E. Reed vs Calvin M. Reed; demurrer to complaint overruled and defendant allowed until Monday morning to answer.

Jeannette Schramm vs Charles Schramm; motion to strike out parts of the answer overruled and plaintiff allowed until Monday next to reply.

Ladd & Tilton vs Geo. W. Johnson; stipulation to file answer.

Order that the sheriff summon four additional jurors.

Jennie Macnamara vs Bridget Gallagher; judgment for plaintiff.

A. Zetterman vs A. LeGrand and Dan Sprague; demurrer to complaint overruled and defendants allowed until Monday morning to answer.

J. A. Wetmore vs D. Walton; motion for judgment on the pleadings overruled.

D. H. Stearns vs Emeline Stearns; report of referee approved and divorce granted.

State of Oregon vs John Dale; plea of not guilty withdrawn and plea of guilty entered; defendant remanded for sentence until Thursday morning.

Sheriff returned the following persons as jurors: L. Wilhelm, Isaac Levy, J. F. Miller, James Burke.

Grand jury return one bill of indictment.

Court adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

RESOLUTIONS.

At a regular meeting of Orient Lodge No. 17, I. O. O. F., held at their hall on the evening of Feb. 17, 1877, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Lodge are due and are hereby tendered Hon. M. P. Deady for the able and instructive lecture entitled "Trial by Jury," delivered at Odd Fellows' Hall, East Portland, on the evening of February 15th, 1877.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to Hon. M. P. Deady, that they be spread upon the minutes of this Lodge, and also that they be published in the DAILY OREGONIAN. N. P. TOMLINSON, R. S.

PERSONAL.

Judge L. L. McArthur of the Supreme Court is at present sojourning in the city.

J. B. Montgomery, Esq., is at Jefferson City, Mo. He was present at the inauguration of Gov. Phelps, the newly elected governor of the State. Mr. Montgomery is a son-in-law of Gov. Phelps.

Mrs. William England, the talented pianist of Salem, has purchased a superb Weber piano of Prof. A. L. Francis, who is agent.

Opera glasses for rent at Friedlander's—in Gray's music store.

The surgeons of the National Medical Institute will be detained here until the sailing of the steamer on Saturday. Those afflicted with deformity, paralysis, piles, fistula, or other diseases, can receive attention until that day.

Ladies' underwear at low prices at the Emporium of Fashion.

Babies' woolen sacques at 50 cents at Mrs. Charles Tichnor's.

REMOVED.—The office of the Howe Sewing Machine has been removed to Beck's brick building, Second st bet Morrison and Yamhill.

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For ladies' cloaks go to the Emporium of Fashion.

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All depends on Oregon and the lunches served by Barnes at Central Market.

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Captains and pilots will note the fact that Peter Wilhelm has fitted up two rooms for their especial use at the Fountain, corner Ash and First streets. Number of English papers on file, including the *Shipping and Mercantile Gazette*, a 48 column daily, published at London.

Mrs. B. A. Owens, M.D., Office and residence, east side First street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Special attention given to Women and Children complaints. Also gives Medicated Vapor Baths, combined with Electricity, in treating Rheumatism and Chronic Diseases.

The Medical Institute of Dr. W. L. Adams, corner of First and Salmon streets, will be removed to Hood river in a few months. Till then chronic diseases of men and women will be treated in Portland as usual. An accomplished lady assistant to give baths to ladies and assist in their treatment always in the office.

NOTES FROM ALBANY.

Our occasional correspondent writing from the above point under date of Feb. 20th, sends the following:

The rains have set in again with occasional high winds.

Wheat is unusually scarce in this part of the country at this time.

Miss Hinton of Salem is spending a few days with her friends in this city.

The farmers are greatly encouraged with the wheat prospects for the next season.

It is thought there will be a great amount of building done in this place next season.

We understand that the revival meetings are continued at the M. E. church this week.

The city will be full of strangers to-morrow, as the State Temperance Convention meets at that time.

A new millinary and dressmaking establishment is to be put on foot in this place, so we understand.

We are told that the old pioneer church of this city is to be modernized, and that the work is to begin this week.

A few Sabbaths since two young ladies in different parts of the city, and of the same name, fell and broke their arms—one the left arm and the other the right arm.

M. E. church elected on the 18th the following delegates to the State Temperance Convention which is to meet in this place, L. Elkins, Jacob Miller, F. M. Miller, Mrs. Sperry and Miss H. Gilbert.

The Baptist church that was damaged by fire yesterday to the amount of about $500, will be repaired soon. The cause of fire, said to be carelessness on the part of the sexton in throwing out the ashes.

The Young Men's Christian Association elected on the 19th the following delegates to the State Temperance Convention which convenes to-morrow in this city, to wit: H. R. Blain, Mr. Socks, Miss Gilbert and Mrs. Mansfield.

THE TERRITORIES.

The Seattle *Tribune* says the Renton Coal Company are pushing forward the work of connecting their mine by rail with the Walla Walla and Seattle railway, and will, in about ten days be bringing the product of their mine to Seattle on cars.

Says the Walla Walla *Statesman:* It is rumored that a man by the name of Leonard has discovered a coal vein some forty miles distant on the Columbia river, above Snake river. A sample of the coal was brought to this city several days ago to be tested, and those who saw the sample burnt in a common stove, say that it was of an excellent quality. He reports two veins of about twenty-eight inches on the cropping.

On last Saturday, at Seattle, Judge Lewis sentenced John Thompson to be hanged for the murder of Solomon Baxter. The following report of the proceedings we take from the Seattle *Intelligencer:* Thompson was brought into the court-room about 2 o'clock, and appeared perfectly composed, and manifested no apparent concern as to his fate. His attorney made a motion for a new trial. This was denied, whereupon they filed a bill of exceptions. A little before 3 o'clock he was ordered to stand up for sentence. He arose from his chair and stood quietly, with his eyes fixed upon the floor, while the main facts of the affray of Sunday night were recited to him; also the indictment of the grand jury, the circumstances of the trial and the verdict of the jury before whom he was tried. When asked if he had anything to say why the sentence of law should not be passed upon him, he suddenly lifted his head, folded his arms and stood erect, and, in a firm, clear, modulated tone of voice said he had done wrong in breaking the Sabbath, but he was led into this by bad company; had it not been for this he would not have been where he was that day. But, he added, "I am innocent of the charge of murder, for I never spilt the blood of a fellow man maliciously, or willfully or intentionally." He was told that his objections could not be considered, and he was sentenced to be hanged by the neck until dead, on the 30th day of March, A. D. 1877, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., in the prison yard of the city of Seattle, and to be remanded by the sheriff and kept in close confinement until the day of execution. He listened to the reading of the sentence and manifested no apparent anxiety or agitation.

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Statistics show that about 200 barrels of whisky are consumed on the Pacific Coast daily, and that 33⅓ per cent. of said 200 barrels is sold by the Cyrus Noble Whisky agents. Agents, Portland, Millard & VanSchuyver, 39 Front st.

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Divers go down in divers places;
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Like those in beauty's mouth that shine,
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We noticed in one of our exchanges this week the statement of Dea. John Hodgkins, of South Jefferson, Me., whose son was cured of incipient consumption by the use of *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment*. We refer to this at this time as tending to corroborate the statement we made last week in relation to this Liniment as applied to consumption.

If Congress had employed as much scientific skill in the arrangement of its "Reconstruction Policy" at the close, as the War Department did in the beginning of the war, in arranging for the manufacture of what was called *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders* for the use of the Cavalry horses, no doubt the Union would have been restored long ago.—*Exchange.*

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THE GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY.

[From the N. Y. Times, Feb. 2.]

The impression prevails at Washington that this Congress will do nothing toward securing a currency constantly redeemable in coin, though that is now plainly within reach. But why should it not do so? There is no reason in the interests of the country for refusing to take the simple step which would accomplish this end. Apparently, too, there is no reason of political expediency. The question of inflation and contraction as an issue in national politics may be said to have passed out of sight, for the time being, during the last Presidential campaign. The course of the Democratic party was so equivocal and confusing that neither the inflationists nor the hard money men cared to give prominence to the currency question. The former had accepted a nominally hard money candidate; the latter had consented to stand on a dubious platform which was strongest on the inflation side. No one had any motive for bringing forward the financial issue. In a somewhat similar way, the Republican platform was not unmistakably distinct, and Mr. Hayes' letter was stronger than the platform. The soft money Republicans consoled themselves with their own construction of the platform, and the hard money men took comfort from the views of their candidate. But the issue was not made up clearly in the public mind, and other things easily threw it into the shade.

Why should any member of Congress, no matter what his views have been, object to seeing the financial issue permanently got out of politics? That can now be done easily. All that is necessary is a law for funding legal tenders. The legal tender notes yesterday rose to within 4.65 per cent. of the value of gold, the price of the latter in paper being quoted at 104⅝. The impulse which would be given by a simple funding law, would now, beyond any reasonable question, carry the notes to par, and the operation of such a law would keep them permanently equal to gold. The financial question, in the form in which it has vexed the country for so many years, would then be settled. We repeat, why should this result not be acceptable to all parties? The "greenback" issue has never been of the slightest political advantage to any party. It has provoked dissensions and quarrels, and brought into prominence empty-headed demagogues without real weight, reputation, or force of character, wherever it has attracted much attention. It has demoralized the masses and brought perplexity and confusion to party leaders. Who can say, for instance, that the notion of "paying" the bonds in greenbacks in 1868 was not an unmixed evil to the Democracy? Who of their own leaders, in his sober senses, does not now believe that the wild heresies regarding inflation in Ohio and Pennsylvania in 1875, and their repetition in 1876, gave the party a load to carry without which it might have stood in no need of extra-constitutional devices to help it to the Presidency? As for the Republican leaders, the weak spot in the armor of some who were justly distinguished during the war, and who were capable of maintaining a good record, has been their error regarding paper money.

It now happens that largely by the working of forces wholly outside the law, the knotty points in the financial question have been settled. The law of 1875 was a very mild measure. It made a promise of resumption in 1879, and then it gave the banks the choice of greater or less issues, at their discretion. That was all that was really effective in it, for the provision for withdrawing 80 per cent. of legal tenders against any new bank issues has in practice amounted to little. The result is that, without any distinct provision for contraction, a large amount of currency has been withdrawn because it could not be kept out with any profit. Prices, following in our country the tendency prevailing throughout the world, have fallen. Large ventures in the use of capital have, in all commercial countries, been avoided, or made with great caution. The demand for currency, which had been unduly excited, has fallen away. At the same time, by peculiar fortune, we have made large export crops and had a good sale for them. By a forced economy at home, we have lessened our purchases abroad. A very large part of our debt to Europe has been paid, and for some time payments have set in the opposite direction. The credit of the government has advanced steadily, until now its bonds stand higher in the markets of the world than they have done in nearly a score of years, and its demand notes bear a discount of less than five per cent. and are steadily advancing. There is no longer a question of contraction, or of any positive action on the part of the government. There is only the question of securing the enormous advantage we have gained, of nailing the splendid bargain with fortune which is happily and rather unexpectedly offered to us.

A funding law, in the opinion of all observers, would now make our paper worth as much, dollar for dollar, as gold, and it would silently, easily, without jar or friction, keep it at that point. The actual increase of the funded debt thus produced would be insignificant. At the outside, it would not exceed fifty millions, and would add but two millions a year to our interest charge. The firm support given by such a measure to our national credit would enable us to refund our six per cents at a rapid rate, and the disposal of the remaining $230,000,000 of the 4½ per cents would save $3,450,000 annually; probably twice as much as the funding of the legal tenders would cost. Never was a government offered a more brilliant opportunity to escape from a situation which is wholly bad, and to permanently establish a sound and advantageous policy. If the present Congress is blind to this opportunity and the great duty which it carries with it, we hope that the next President, whoever he may be, will promptly call the Forty-fifth Congress in extra session, in order that it may do the work. Whatever awaits the country in the way of political experience during the next four years, it would be a great gain if it could now secure a sound and stable currency.

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PORTLAND, February 13, 1877.

A FINAL DECISION HAVING BEEN RENdered by the Hon. Secretary of the Interior in the matter of the conflict between the Oregon Central Railroad Co. and the Northern Pacific Railroad Co., involving title to certain Lands in Townships one, two, three, four and five, North of Ranges one, two, three, four, five and six west in favor of the Oregon Central Railroad Co.; parties having settled upon or improved any of these lands are hereby notified to appear within sixty days from the date of this notice at the Land Office of the said O. C. R. R. Co. at this city, to prove settlement or improvement. At the expiration of the said sixty days the lands will be opened to purchase to the first applicant.
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THE WORNOUT FONT OF TYPE.

I'm sitting at my desk, Tom,
Before me on the floor
There lies a wornout font of type,
Full twenty thousand score;
And many months have passed, Tom,
Since they were bright and new,
And many are the tales they've told—
The false, the strange, the true.

What tales of horror they have told,
Of tempest and of wreck;
Of murder in the midnight hour,
Of war full many a "speck!"
Of ships that lost, away at sea,
Went down before the blast;
Of wild cries of agony
As Life's last moments passed.

Of earthquakes and of suicides,
Of bank defaulters, broken banks
[illegible] banking systems rotten;
Of boilers bursting, steamers snagged,
[illegible]
[illegible] with their prey escaped,
[illegible] caught.

[illegible], and fire, and accident,
[illegible] worn-out type have told,
And how the pestilence has swept
[illegible] youthful and the old.
[illegible] of births and deaths,
[illegible] to please or vex us,
[illegible] overboard,
[illegible] gone to Texas.

[illegible] how sweet summer days
[illegible] from our view,
[illegible] chilling winds have swept
[illegible] through,
[illegible] have come and gone,
[illegible] of storm and strife—
[illegible] hath waned
[illegible]

[illegible] to mention half
[illegible] have told,
[illegible] and beautiful
[illegible] mold—
[illegible] they joy have brought,
[illegible] and tears,
[illegible] the record kept
[illegible] receding years.

NEW MOON WISHES.

[illegible]

[illegible] new moon glittered
[illegible] in the West,
[illegible] my shoulder,
[illegible] stirred my breast.
[illegible] right shoulder
[illegible] ever born,
[illegible] wish at even
[illegible] in the morn.

[illegible] new moon glittered
[illegible]
[illegible] wish of mine?

[illegible] below,
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] my shoulder
[illegible] before;
[illegible] and colder,
[illegible] more.

[illegible] IN INDIA.

[illegible] PEOPLE STARVING, WITH LITTLE [illegible] OF RELIEF.

[illegible] has written a long [illegible] Lytton, in which he says: [illegible] of the increasing fall[illegible] which had become apparent [illegible] Southern and Western [illegible] which had [illegible] and to provide [illegible]. Reports had [illegible] indicating that [illegible] failure of the [illegible] such as to [illegible] the crops and some loss [illegible] that in Madras [illegible] affects the districts of [illegible], Kurnool, Madu[illegible], Chingleput, Coimba[illegible]. It apparently also threatens [illegible] and Tanjore. It should further [illegible] has made itself felt in [illegible] in some parts of the Nizam's [illegible], also, that the area of [illegible] of Madras amounts [illegible] to 80,000 square miles, and the [illegible] amounts to nearly 18,000,000. [illegible] in Bombay has extended to nine [illegible] the Deccan and Southern Mahratta [illegible]. It must be added to this that some [illegible], such as Kolapore, [illegible] and Sawunt Waree, have [illegible]. The area of this territory, [illegible] native states, comprises about [illegible] and the total population [illegible], of which 5,000,000 are [illegible] included in the tracks im[illegible]. Such being the case, both [illegible], as reported in correspond[illegible] your excellency's government, or[illegible] great activity relief works, the [illegible] of which are stated in the dis[illegible] in the margin. Large gangs [illegible] employed in making roads, digging [illegible], constructing and clearing tanks, [illegible] such as railroads and canals, [illegible], in contemplation, and, [illegible] arise, they will be undertaken [illegible] of your lordship in council. [illegible] the very large number [illegible] are reported as employed on [illegible] works of Madras, and 250,000 on [illegible]. I gather from a letter from [illegible] of Bombay, dated the 30th of [illegible] that it is anticipated by that [illegible] the distress will increase in [illegible] the month of April, and from [illegible] gradually diminish, as the crops [illegible] of this year are matured, [illegible] may be expected about the [illegible] next. The numbers for [illegible] will have to be provided in the [illegible] by public employment in [illegible] during that period were estimated [illegible], on data to some extent [illegible] the government of Bombay [illegible] above referred to, as follows: In [illegible] number may be 200,000 per[illegible], 1877, 800,000; February, 850,[illegible]; April, 1,000,000; May, [illegible]; June, 600,000; July, 300,000; August, [illegible]; September, 50,000. No similar table [illegible] to be found in the papers which [illegible] received from Madras; but as it [illegible] that the intensity of the dis[illegible] Presidency will increase as the [illegible] advances, it is alarming to find that [illegible] of persons already employed on [illegible] amounts, as before stated, to 840,[illegible] impossibility of applying adequate [illegible] applicants for relief on such occasions [illegible] notorious, but I trust that [illegible] will be no practical difficulty in check[illegible] abuse which may arise out of [illegible] adopted by government for the [illegible] and prolonging relief of destitution. [illegible] with satisfaction that although the [illegible] of grain has advanced in the affected [illegible] in some cases to three times the [illegible] rate, the operators of private [illegible] appear—at all events in Bombay—[illegible] have been also considerably stimulated, and that the supply of food imported [illegible] other districts not affected by the pres[illegible] drought, has been hitherto apparently [illegible] to support the population. On the [illegible] essential condition to the success of the [illegible] operations—namely, effectual means of [illegible] transport—the reports are somewhat more [illegible], and the governments of Bombay and Madras do not appear to entertain any apprehension of an inability to carry the nec[illegible] supplies to the affected localities. I cannot, however, regard without uneasiness the consequences of imperfect communications in districts which cover so wide an area, and some of which lie at so great a distance from the lines of railway. I desire to leave to your excellency in council the widest discretion in all administrative details, entertaining as I do the fullest confidence in your judgment and ability, and that the experience at your command, especially that derived from the late famine in Bengal, will enable you, while sparing no efforts for the relief of distress and the preservation of life, to take all reasonable precautions against any waste or unnecessary strain upon the resources of the State. It is clear that the strain, in any case, must be very severe, and I await with much anxiety the views of your excellency in council as to the financial measures which you propose to adopt.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

TUESDAY EVENING, Feb. 20, 1877.

Gold in New York, 105½.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 94; selling 95.

Silver Coin—buying 93½, selling 94½.

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent. premium.

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium.

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½@¾ per cent. premium.

Coin Exchange on San Francisco ¼ per ct. premium.

Gold Bars 800 par.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—The market is very quiet and average quotations $1 80@1 85 per cental.

FLOUR—Quotable, best brands, $6@$6 25 ℔ bbl; good outside and country brands, $5 50@$6 00; fine and superfine, $4 75@5 00.

OATS—Best quality 65@70; fair 60@65; inferior and black 55@60c per bushel.

POTATOES—Dull at 40@45c per bushel.

ONIONS—As to quality, $1 50@1 75 ℔ 100 lbs.

HAY—Choice timothy, baled, $15@$16; loose, $14@$15.

LARD—Oregon made, fresh, in tins, 13@14c ℔ lb; in kegs, 14c.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits; 4@5c; pitless, 12½@14c ℔ lb.

DRIED APPLES—In sacks 6c, kegs 7c ℔ lb.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, solid, 12½@20c ℔ lb; brine, 22@25c; roll, 30c; fancy dairy, 30@35c; cheese, quotable at 15@16c ℔ lb. Market dull.

BACON—Market well supplied at 12½@14c for sides; 13@16c for hams, and 10c for shoulders.

CHICKENS—Market well supplied at $3@$4 per dozen, according to quality.

EGGS—There is a moderate demand at 18@20c per dozen.

FRESH MEATS—Beef, dressed 4@5c ℔ lb; on foot, 2@2½c; dressed hogs, 6@6½c ℔ lb; mutton sheep $2 50 ℔ head.

BARLEY—Choice brewing, $1 20@1 25; feed, $1 15@1 20 ℔ cwt.

MILL FEED—Bran, $18@20 ℔ ton; shorts, $22 50@25; chop, middlings, etc., $27 50@30; oil cake meal, $37 50.

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EXPORTS.

Per steamship George W. Elder which sailed hence for San Francisco February 10th: 3,000 hf sks and 8,727 qr sks flour, 2,080 sks oats, 971 bxs apples, 2 cs, 1 water wheel, 32 cs bacon, 10 cs dried meats, 34 cs H H goods, 7 horses, [illegible] sks potatoes, 438 hides, [illegible] bdls calf skins, 52 bdls sheep skins, 20 kegs lard, 58 sks potatoes, 84 cs eggs, 40 pkgs butter, 26 bxs fruit, 15 bls wool, 59 sks onions, 1 cs beef, 1 coop chickens, 1 cs labels, 1 bdl wheels, 645 pkgs heads and staves, 1 cs shoes, 42 tins tallow, 17 cs mdse.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Wheat—Firmer; best may be quoted at $2 12½ down to $2 05.

Barley—Feed $1 15@1 20; brewing unchanged.

Corn—$1 37½@1 40.

Oats—$2@2 30.

Potatoes—Not more than 70c obtainable for best, down to 35c for ordinary.

Gold—105½; Silver, 6½@9¼.

Legal tenders—94¼@95.

Liverpool wheat market to-day, average California, 10s 9d@10s 1d; club, 10s1 d@11s 4d.

Shipping Intelligence.

Steamer George W. Elder arrived at Astoria at 5 this evening, and will probably reach here early to-morrow afternoon.

The British ship Æthelstane is discharging ballast at Flanders' wharf.

Steamer California sailed for Sitka and way ports Monday evening, carrying a partial cargo.

Steamer Gussie Telfair is several days overdue from northern ports.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—Arrived—Bktn Tam O'Shanter, Columbia river.

Sailed—Ship War Hawk, Port Discovery; bk. Oregon, Seabeck; schr J. B. Leeds, Umpqua.

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Ordinance No. 1921.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIME and manner of improving Clay street from the center line of Seventh to the east line of Eighth street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The proposed improvement of that part of Clay street lying between the center line of Seventh street and the east line of Eighth street shall be completed as hereinafter provided on or before the 15th day of April, 1877.

Section 2. The surface of the street shall be cleared of all timber, plank or other obstructions, (sidewalks and crosswalks of the proper width and grade, and otherwise in good condition excepted.) If the obstructions are not removed within three days after notice from the Superintendent of Streets they shall be removed by and become the property of the contractor.

Section 3. The improvement shall consist of grading, laying sidewalks and crosswalks.

Section 4. The grading, sidewalks and crosswalks shall correspond as nearly as practicable to the provisions of sections 6, 7, 8 and 9 of Ordinance No. 793, entitled "An Ordinance in relation to the improvement of streets."

Section 5. The provisions of sections 11 and 12 of said Ordinance No. 793, shall apply to all lumber and material used in the improvement provided for by this Ordinance.

Section 6. The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress, and shall be responsible for any loss or accident resulting from carelessness or neglect.

Section 7. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the improvement specified in this Ordinance.

Section 8. The improvement shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets.

Passed the Common Council Feb. 7, 1877.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Feb. 8, 1877.

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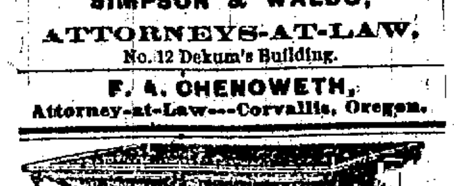

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DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)
As follows:
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Albany.........5:30 A. M. Portland.........10:05 A. M.
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DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS
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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Second Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the city of Portland propose to improve Second street from the south side of Salmon street to the south side of Columbia street, by laying sidewalks and crosswalks where necessary, and laying plank roadway 16 feet in width, with intersections planked full width, and the necessary grading therefor.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Feb. 12, 1877. fe12d10t

Third Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the City of Portland propose to improve Third street from the center of Yamhill street to the center of Taylor street by grading, laying sidewalks and crosswalks where necessary, or by repairing the same, and Macadamizing the roadway full width.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Feb. 10, 1876. fe10d10t

Ordinance No. 1911.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CONstruction of a Wharf in the Willamette river in front of and opposite lot one in block 80.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The owner or owners of that part of Block No. 80, lying east of a line 135 feet east of and parallel with the west line of lot one in said block, are hereby authorized and permitted to construct a wharf of piles and timber in the Willamette river on and in front of the tract above described; the easterly line of said wharf to commence on a line being an extension of the south line of and 135 feet east of the southwest corner of said lot one; thence northerly parallel with the east line of Front street eighty feet to the center line of Oak street extended; thence westerly along said center line, one hundred (100) feet; thence southerly eighty feet; thence easterly one hundred feet to place of beginning. The lower or main floor of said wharf to be as near ten feet above the base of grades as practicable.

Section 2. The upper story of said wharf shall not extend easterly beyond the lines of the lower wharf, or northerly beyond the south line of Oak street extended; except for a roadway fifteen feet in width along the south side of Oak street, on a grade as near the grade of Front street as practicable. The grading for the lower roadway shall not extend west of the east line of Front street, and the north side of both roadways shall have suitable guard rails to prevent accident; *provided*, That the whole of said passage ways and all that portion of said wharf extending over and into the street shall be subject to regulations by the common council as a part of said street. And provided further, that said roadways shall at all times be free from obstructions, so as to admit of easy access to the river by fire engines.

Passed the Common Council Feb. 7, 1877.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Feb. 8, 1877.

J. A. CHAPMAN, Mayor.

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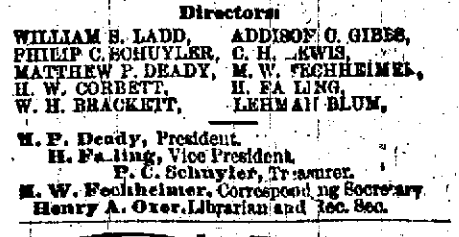

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N. Ninth Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASsessment made by Ordinance No. 1914, for the improvement of N. Ninth street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 1818, on each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that part of North Ninth street lying between G and [illegible] streets, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith is due and payable to the Treasurer of the city of Portland in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date of this notice, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

Block.	Lot.	Owner.	Assessm't.
74,	2, 3, 6, 7.	Jno N Per[illegible]	$ 88 33
115,	S40ft2&N26ft 1.	J L McCown	44 40
115,	6, 7.	P W Gillette	59 48
128,	2, 3, 6, 7.	Geo Marshall	101 76
133,	2, 3, 6, 7.	Geo Hartness	146 31
146,	2.	R Irving	33 2[illegible]
"	3.	I W Lewis	31 26
"	6.	Godfrey Brown	29 74
"	7.	W W Francis	29 39
75,	1, 4.	J Mackay	26 55
75,	5, 8.	A Rahles	51 38
116,	1, 4.	P W Gillette	10 8[illegible]
"	5, 8.	L Boire	61 86
127,	1, 4.	D C McKercher	88 12
127,	5, 8.	A E Curtis	56 58
131,	1, 4, 5, 8.	Geo Hartness	147 46
145,	1, 4.	H R Kinnaird	122 03
145.	5, 8.	Frank Hecheney	39 17
			$1173 20

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Feb. 10, 1877. fe10d10t

Main Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASsessment made by Ordinance No. [illegible] for the improvement of Main street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 1815 on each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that part of Main street lying between West Park and Front street, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof.

Block.	Lot.	Owner.	Assessm't.
168,	7, 8.	J C Ainsworth	$41 04
"	E 60 ft 1.	P Wasserman	13 67
"	W 20 ft 1.	Henry Finck	6 18
163,	1, N 2 ft 2.	W W Upton	11 59
163,	S 48 ft 2.	Henry Souls	6 44
10,	8.	Jno Beddles	15 [illegible]
1,	1.	J W Trutch	15 96
			$112 [illegible]

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Feb. 10, 1877. fe10d10t

Morrison Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the City of Portland propose to improve Morrison street from the west line of Sixth street to the east line of Fifth street, by laying sidewalks and crosswalks where necessary and laying a plank roadway 36 feet in width and doing the necessary grading therefor.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Feb. 10, 1877. fe10d10t

E street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve E street from the west line of Tenth street to the center line of Seventeenth street, by grading, laying sidewalks and crosswalks, and constructing a bridge across Tanner's Creek (similar to the one on G street) and the necessary work therefor.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Feb. 10, 1877. fe10d10t

City Sewerage.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to make improvements in what is known on the sewerage plan, as a part of the Central District, by laying a main sewer in Main street from the Willamette river to Sixth street; said main sewer to be of 15 inch terra cotta pipe from the river to Second street, and from Second street to Sixth street to be of 12 inch terra cotta pipe.

Also, tributaries of 9 inch pipe in Front, First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth streets from Clay to Main streets, with the necessary catch basins, man holes and lamp holes.

The expense thereof to be assessed upon the property benefited.

It is understood that the property benefited includes all lots and blocks of land lying between Clay and Main streets and the Willamette river and Sixth street.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Feb. 10, 1877. fe10d10t

To Street Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland until 12 o'clock M., Wednesday Feb. 21, 1877, for the improvement of the following streets:

Intersection of Montgomery and First street as per Ordinance No. 1919.

Intersection of Montgomery and Front street as per ordinance No 1916.

Clay street as per Ordinance No. [illegible]92.

Bids must be made separately on each street and opposite the number of each block state the price per cubic yard for excavation and embankment and the price per lineal foot for sidewalk, crosswalk and plank gutters, as the case may be, and must conform to plans and specifications on file in Auditor's office.

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders in the sum of five hundred dollars, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder he will, upon its being so awarded, enter into contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for its faithful performance.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

NOAH LAMBERT,
S. BLUMAUER,
THOS. STEPHENS,
Committee on Streets and Public Property.

State Treasurer's Notice.

STATE OF OREGON,
TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Salem, Feb. 12, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that there are funds in the Treasury applicable to the payment of the following warrants, to-wit: Nos. 445, 447, 448, 450, 451, 456, 457, 461, 462, 467, 469, 465, 470, 474, 446, 476, 475, 478, 480, 482, 458, 489, 490, 484, 486, 492, 493, 495, 494, 496, 483, 497, 498, 500, 501, 485, 510, 513, 5[illegible], 516, 518, 519, 521, 522, 525, 526, 527, 528, 530, 531, [illegible], 538, 539, 548, 533, 53[illegible], 532 and 554.

Interest on those warrants will cease from this date.

A. H. BROWN, State Treasurer.

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State Treasurer's Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Salem, Feb. 6, 1877.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds in the Treasury applicable to the payment of the following warrants, to wit: [illegible], 393, 395, 397, 306, 323, [illegible], 325, [illegible], 327, 329, 328, [illegible], 334, 335, 336, 337, 331, 354, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, [illegible], 364, 367, 369, 375, 387, 390, 392, 40[illegible], 403, 411, 416, [illegible], 424, 425, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 386, 397, 391, 396, 397, 398, 399, 414, 427, 426, 438, 439, 376, 419.

Interest on these warrants will cease from this date.

A. H. BROWN, State Treasurer.

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IN RE J. W. BERCAW, BANKRUPT [illegible] of Oregon, ss. At Portland [illegible] February, A. D. 1877. The [illegible] gives notice of his appointment [illegible] Bercaw, of Albany, in Linn [illegible] Oregon, within said District, who [illegible] ed a bankrupt upon petition of [illegible] District Court of said district. [illegible]

fe12d1aw3t ALBERT H. TA[illegible]

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE—D[illegible] ss.—At Portland, Oregon [illegible] ry, A. D. 1877. The under[illegible] tice of his appointment as [illegible] Gay, of Halsey, in the [illegible] of Oregon, within said [illegible] judged a bankrupt [illegible] District Court of said [illegible]

fe20d1aw3t LOYAL [illegible]

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GENERAL NEWS.

The St. Louis Fire.

St. Louis, Feb. 20.—The examining engineers now say another 300 feet of the bridge has been burned seriously. Trains will be passing again within a week at farthest. Insurance of $154,000 is held by the company.

Shipwrecks.

New York, Feb. 21.—The *Herald's* London special says the *Shipping Gazette* of last evening contained a fearful record of losses during the storm. Thirty vessels, many of them with the entire crews, have been sacrificed to the fury of the gale.

No Celebration.

The *Herald's* Columbia special says there is no doubt the order to prevent the celebration of Washington's birthday to-night was brought about by Chamberlain.

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New York, Feb. 21.—The [illegible] Ohio special says [illegible]

[illegible]

Chicago, [illegible] bankruptcy [illegible]

[illegible]

New York, Feb. 21.—[illegible]

Denver, Col., [illegible] stole $3,000 [illegible] at Santa Fe [illegible] Association [illegible]

Pomeroy, Ohio, Feb. [illegible] a boiler in the [illegible] burst [illegible]

No Verdict Yet.

Ashtabula, Feb. 21.—[illegible]

Deadwood, [illegible] the 3d U. S. [illegible] Two other [illegible] citizens [illegible] who ran off [illegible] about 150 [illegible] an Indian [illegible] on the [illegible] proved to [illegible] to attack [illegible]

[illegible] CABLE.

London, Feb. 21.—Silver, [illegible] flat; quotation 55 pence.

London, Feb. 21.—[illegible] of bullion gone into the Bank of England to-day, [illegible]

London, Feb. 21.—The rinderpest has made its appearance at Bow and Stepney, within the metropolis, and again at Hull.

Closed Down.

London, Feb. 21.—Fiscal's sugar refinery, at Bristol, will close down Saturday in consequence of the scarcity of raw material, and the influence of the French bounty system. Two thousand persons will be thrown out of employment.

A little while ago Mrs. Secretary of War Belknap was the Washington glass of fashion and the mold of form; but is so no longer. This is the way one of her sex sits down on her. Says Mary Clemmer:

She read so much about the splendors of her beauty and the wonders of her toilet that she grew to believe herself to be a little above any of her earthly sisters. In three years she was utterly transformed in aspect from a gentle, subdued looking widow to an airy, supercilious woman of fashion. When Senator Christiancy married a little girl who counted scrip in the Treasury, the society "leaders" met and debated whether they should receive her or not. Nobody tabooed her so positively and utterly as Mrs. Belknap. She, the daughter of a country doctor, was not willing to receive on equal terms the little "Countess" of "Scrip," suddenly elevated to the dignity of a Senator's wife. But Mrs. Fish went to see the little golden-haired woman, and treated her just as kindly as she could any one—and that is very kindly. Already we have ceased altogether to hear of Mrs. Belknap's magnificent dresses. She lives at the Arlington, and no doubt keeps still her near personal friends; but she is no longer the fashion. Nobody cares whether her dresses are ones or none.